

SPECIAL ATTENTION!

Ladies' Shirt Waists.....50c to \$1.35
Select Styles in Neck and Belt Buckles.
Fine Curtain Muslin at.....8, 11, and 12c, yd
Hammocks with valance sides only.....\$1.00
Palm Leaf Fans, each.....2c
Baby Cape, each.....20, 25, and 40c.

Full stock of galvanized pails and dairy pans now on hand, at lowest prices.

WELLINGTON NOVELTY STORE

FRANCES A. BENEDICT. CLARA B. ARNER.

A BEACON OF HOPE A FRIEND OF THE FAMILY.



FOLEY'S HONEY and TAR

IS THE
GREAT THROAT and LUNG REMEDY.

W. H. TISSOT & CO.

Affull line of toilet articles at Near & Wells' drug store.

Photo buttons seem to be the latest society fad in the city.

The "unlucky number thirteen," was the number of our citizens who took in the Columbus excursion last Sunday.

Photos, 65c, \$1.00 and \$2.00 per dozen. These reduced prices will positively close with the 3d day of June. Fleming & Mohr.

One hundred and fifteen rigs on our business streets, hitched and all visible from one point, at 3 o'clock on Saturday. Who is crying for a free street fair?

Wellington hotels are trying to see which can give their guests the most for their money. We look forward to the day when even the poor editor can "make a meal out."

The B. Y. P. U. social will be held at the home of Mrs. L. G. Smith, on Prospect street, instead of at the church as announced, on Friday evening of this week. An invitation is extended to all.

One day last week fifteen farm wagons from Pittsfield, loaded with 1898 wheat, stood around Shelly's Mill waiting to unload. This was early in the day, and the weather was too cold to stand out and watch for more.

There ought to be one or two extra policemen on duty on Saturdays from the Taylor store around to the Goodsell corner, to keep people from being run over. This should apply to the situation until 9:00 p. m. each Saturday, as the crash from 7:00 to 9:00 p. m. is something tremendous.

"Wellington Bell(e)s," a new idea originating in the fertile brain of our friend, Lu Hopkins, is worth looking at in the show window of the Benedict hardware store. One thing we miss from the collection, however, and that is the homely old cow-bell we used to hear in our boyhood days.

The Y. P. S. C. E. of the Disciple church will give a sailor's social next Friday evening, May 20, at the home of Mrs. A. Spicer. The individual who tells the best sailor's yarn will be suitably rewarded. Everyone is invited to come and enjoy the graphophone which will assist in the entertainment of the evening.

On Saturday last people drove into town for miles around. Pittsfield, La Grange, Penfield, Litchfield, Spencer, Huntington, Sullivan, Rochester, Brighton, Charksfield, New London and several other suburbs of Wellington were more or less represented. Our merchants were busy and were obliged to draft considerable extra help.

Among the recent indictments by the Lorain county grand jury were those of R. H. Baird and Von Bernard for selling liquor to minors. Both these gentlemen appeared before Judge Nye last Thursday and entered a plea of "not guilty." All the criminal cases were set for June 1, except those who plead guilty, and they were sentenced on Monday.

The suit of Mrs. Victoria Sheldon against L. H. Wadsworth, in which a safe was replevined by the plaintiff, was tried by a jury, before Justice Donald, on Friday and Saturday. The case went to the jury on Saturday, who returned a verdict of disagreement, the jury standing five to one in favor of plaintiff. A new trial of the cause is set for two weeks.

Sunday dinners at the hotels in town are becoming popular, and are patronized by many of the families of the town. A "square" meal, of everything that heart can wish or stomach may crave, and that for a nominal price, affords the women an opportunity of making Sunday practically a "day of rest."

A man in Oakland, Me., has invented a tramp chair, the use and fame of which has cleared that town entirely of the tramp nuisance. Two of these are now used in Augusta, for while that city sheltered and fed 275 tramps in January, '09, Oakland only had one, no tramp who had heard of the free rides in the tramp chair of that town ever came that way again. In 1898 it cost the sixteen counties of Maine \$64,508 for board of tramps in jails, nearly one-third of all their county tax. The counties that have no jails have no tramps. The tramp chair is comfortable as long as one wishes not to change position. The door follows the lines of the chair, and is locked, and the Wandering Willie gets more rest than he wants after a couple of hours in it.

PERSONAL MENTION.

J. T. Haskell was in Oberlin on Monday.

Mr. R. A. Chapman is in Baltimore, Md., on business.

Dr. J. W. Houghton had business in LaGrange today.

Rev. H. D. Sheldon and wife were in Oberlin Monday.

Hugh Allyn, of Cleveland, was in town over Sunday.

Samuel Call and wife, of Butler Road were in town today.

Miss Matilda Starr is home from Cleveland for a few days.

Mr. Finley Binehower, of Galion, is visiting at J. Binehower's.

Miss Nancy Manly, of Medina is spending a few days in town.

Mrs. Viola Wilcox, of Cleveland, was in town a day or two last week.

Mrs. Susie Root started Sunday evening for Pingree, Dakota.

Miss Maud Chandler spent Sunday with her parents in Wellington.

Frank Hollenbach, of Cleveland, has been in town for a few days past.

Peter Garis, of Brighton, made this office a friendly call on Monday.

C. J. Dimick and Cephas Myers, of Rochester visited in town yesterday.

Miss Bessie Eidt is spending the week with friends in Delaware, Ohio.

Mrs. R. D. Foote visited a day or two last week with New London friends.

Mrs. H. A. Mann and daughter Pauline visited Rochester one day last week.

E. F. Webster started today for a short business trip to Wheeling, West Va.

W. E. Terwilliger, of White Fox, was in town Friday and called at this office.

Mr. E. Lemmel has gone to Green Spring, O., to be treated for rheumatism.

Louis Gott has accepted a position with the Brown Hoisting Co., of Cleveland.

Miss Ida Robishaw was the guest of Miss Bertha Gregg Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Betts has moved into the new house at the angle of Prospect and Railroad streets.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Heliker and Mrs. M. O. Green visited in Cleveland Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Johnson, of Butler Road, were in town Friday and called at this office.

Mr. Fred Harmon, of Fremont, O., once W. & L. E. agent at this place, was in town Monday.

J. L. Ledgett, wife and sons spent Sunday at Vernon Junction, with his brother John Ledgett.

An address will be delivered by Prof. R. H. Kinnison on Saturday at the Pittsfield school picnic.

Miss Gertrude Smith and Mr. F. T. Horan, of Elyria, were guests of Miss Treva Couch over Sunday.

Mrs. William Wood was in town Friday. Her husband, long deceased, was once pastor of the Baptist church here.

I. L. Comstock has been in Lorain a few days visiting and fishing. Look out for Isaac's fish story when he gets home.

Nelson Long returned last week from a trip of a few weeks in the interest of the Dr. Holland Medicated Stock Salt Co.

Mrs. Rosa Woodard, wife of Dr. E. B. Woodard, of East Rochester, O., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Pitts, North Main street.

Dr. Harry L. King was in Cleveland, Wednesday and Thursday of last week attending the Northern Ohio Dental Association, of which he is a member.

Mr. J. Miller, of Fort Wayne, Ind., will move into the Sutliff property on Maygar street. Mr. Miller is to devote his time to the interests of the saw-mill.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Chandler, of West Dover, O., and Miss Maud Chandler, of Cleveland, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Chandler, of West Main street, Sunday.

Mr. W. D. Gammell, of Akron, was in town Sunday, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bowers. Mrs. Gammell has been here some weeks, and expects to remain some time longer.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wilder, of Wellington, spent Sunday with his brother, G. A. Wilder. Mr. Wilder returned this morning. Mrs. Wilder will remain a few days.—Lorain Times, May 22.

J. Howard Rust, of Wellington, was in town today. Mr. Rust was formerly with the Home Savings Bank of Wellington but goes to the Cleveland Trust Company the first of June, in the commercial department.—Oberlin News.

For Spalding's spring and summer sporting goods, see Near & Wells.

Spring Goods.
A fine assortment of Trimmed Hats during the season, at the millinery rooms of Mrs. S. Cady, South Main st.

Notice.
I can place \$400 for three years, providing security is good, at a fair rate of interest. Interest Semi-annually. Call on or address, R. N. Goodwin.

Stone Walks Laid.
Any person thinking of putting down stone walks will do well to look up the prices and quality of the "Sampson" stone from the Willow Creek quarries.

H. G. Brown, Sole Agent.
Bell phone, 754.

SHIRT WAISTS

Piqua, Chevoits, Bataist, French Gingham and Precalles, Prices.....75c to \$2.50
Also silk Shirt Waists.

Linen Skirts 75c to \$1.75
White Piqua Suits, \$5.00 and Skirts \$2.25.

Girls White Dresses, ages 6 months to 12 years, Gingham Dresses.

Come and see the pretty Wrappers, Organdies and Precalles.

SPECIAL BARGAINS: Tailor-made Suits, the nobbiest of the season.....\$5 to \$20

Laces for trimming Graduating Dresses.

Will arrive next week Silk Vests and Silk Stockings, especially nice for the graduates.

Come and see the pretty neckwear.

MRS. M. M. JOYCE.

ELECTRICITY

Electricity will ring a door bell for you if you have the right kind.

We have a complete line of

Electric Door Bell Sets, \$1.35 up

When in need of anything in this line

let us supply your wants.

Benedict Hardware Co.

Your Opportunity, OUR LOSS.

Our entire stock at cost and below.

Ladies' Oxfords, Black or Tan, 50, 75c, \$1, \$1.25, \$1.35
Misses Oxfords " " 75c and \$1.00.
Ladies' Shoes " " \$1, 1.20, 1.35, 1.50.
" " hand turned, Black and Tan, 1.60 and \$2.
Misses " Black and Tan, 75, 85, 98c, 1.00, 1.10 \$1.25.
Baby " " 25, 35, 38c.
Children Shoes Black and Tan, 25, 40, 50, 65, 75, 85c, \$1.
Gents' Shoes 85, 98c, 1.00, 1.18, 1.25, 1.40, 1.65, 2.00.

Examine the quality of our goods before purchasing elsewhere.

Benedict Shoe Co.

GOING OUT OF BUSINESS JUNE 1ST

Women's Shoes 93c 1.19, 1.35 up to \$2.50
Misses Shoes 60, 75, 90c up to \$1.35
Children's Shoes 25c to 90c

I also wish to dispose of my Nickle window display racks, Settees, Lamps, Desk, Tables, Safe and Stoves.

SERAGE, THE SHOE MAN.

THE TAYLOR STORE.

A seasonable bargain for this week's business, regular 10c Percales placed on sale today at

5 CTS. PER YARD

New goods in all departments: Collars, Ties, Laces, Insertions, Embroideries, All-over Tucking.

Any KID GLOVE in our stock, \$1.00 per pair.

THE TAYLOR STORE,
J. E. TEARE, Manager.